



# NEWSLETTER



## MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Members,

We are currently in the midst of the different Continental Congresses which began with the Asian Continental Confederation (ACC) Congress on 1 March.

It was my great pleasure to travel to Bali, Indonesia, for this very important meeting bringing together the different National Federations on the Asian Continent. I am always impressed by the wholehearted commitment and work of our Federations, and this was highlighted at the Bali Congress as well as at the Sharing Platform that we held the day before.

This dedication again came to the fore at the Congress of the Union Européenne de Cyclisme (UEC) in Prague, Czech Republic, on 5 March. This was another opportunity for me to witness first-hand the constructive discussions and unified efforts of our affiliated National Federations as they work towards the common goal of ensuring the continued development and success of our wonderful sport.

I look forward to participating in the next Congress meetings: virtually for Oceania, which is taking place in Brisbane (Australia) at the end of this month, then in person for PanAmerica (in

Panama City, Panama) and for Africa (in Nairobi, Kenya) in April.

Preparations for the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships are in full swing, and our teams are working closely with the Organising Committee to ensure unforgettable events at all competition sites in Glasgow and across Scotland. I travelled to Edinburgh on 8 March where I had very positive meetings with government authorities as well as representatives of Glasgow City Council, British Cycling and UK Sport. Everyone is enthusiastic about this inaugural event, and I came away full of excitement about what awaits us across the whole of Scotland from 3 to 13 August.

On my return to Switzerland, I participated in the World Anti-Doping Agency (WADA) Symposium which took place in Lausanne on 14 and 15 March. This key annual event brings together representatives of international and national sporting and anti-doping organisations, as well as governments and public authorities. Participants were brought up to date with the latest information on anti-doping in the world of sport, and discussed how we can continue to work together towards ensuring clean sports.

Meanwhile, the new track season is under way, and I was delighted to attend the second round of the UCI Track Nations Cup in Cairo, Egypt, last week. There is plenty at stake in the three-round series this year, not least qualification points for the Paris 2024 Olympic Games and for the UCI 2023 Cycling World Championships, where the track events will take place in Glasgow's Sir Chris Hoy Velodrome. This year's UCI Track Nations Cup is truly international, with the three rounds taking place on three different continents: after the Asian and African rounds in Jakarta (Indonesia) and Cairo, the series moves to America next month for the final round in Milton (Canada).

On the road, the UCI Women's WorldTour and UCI WorldTour have returned to Europe after the season openers in Australia and the United Arab Emirates. We are gearing up for a truly fascinating Classics season, and I am looking forward to going to Belgium this Friday to watch the E3 Saxo Classic.

**David Lappartient**

UCI President

IOC Member



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## UCI NEWS

### Re-elected Presidents

On the Asian continent, Ms Tanzila Narbaeva has been re-elected President of the Uzbekistan Cycling Federation and Mr Datuk Haji Abu Samah Bin Haji Abd Wahab President of the Malaysian National Cycling Federation.

On the American continent, Mr St. Clair Williams has been re-elected President of the Antigua and Barbuda Cycling Association.

We wish them all the best in promoting and developing cycling in their country and thank them for their involvement in our sport.

### UCI Webinar Series



# 2023 UCI WEBINAR SERIES

## SOCIAL MEDIA : A GUIDE TO PROMOTE CYCLING AT ALL LEVELS

THURSDAY 4 MAY  
9-10 CET and 15-16 CET

**#UCIWebinarSeries**

WITH SIMULTANEOUS TRANSLATION IN FRENCH & SPANISH



Zack Cooper  
UCI Digital Content  
Manager



### Social media: a guide to promote cycling at all levels

To promote and develop cycling in all its forms to your audience, social media is an essential tool. As of 2023, there are 4.9 billion social media users in the world with the average person active for over two hours per day.

Whether it is inspiring the next generation of cyclists, growing your membership or promoting an event, social media can help you achieve your organisational objectives. In this webinar, we will present you with a guide to help develop your social media strategy when it comes to promoting cycling. Designed to put theory into practice, this webinar will present multiple case studies to provide you with the essential know-how of day-to-day social media management.

- **Date:** Thursday 4 May 2023
- **Registration links:** [09:00-10:00 CET](#) or [15:00-16:00 CET](#)
- **Speaker(s):** Zack Cooper, UCI Digital Content Manager

## SPORT

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### UCI MAJOR EVENTS

#### Information Bulletin

Information useful to National Federations in preparing their travel to the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships in Glasgow and across Scotland (Great Britain) is available in the [Information Bulletin](#) which is published on the [UCI website](#).

### ROAD

#### UCI ProSeries participation (art. 2.1.005 of the UCI Regulations)

The table with the list of teams authorised to participate in UCI ProSeries events is available on the [UCI website](#) and will be updated regularly during the year. Please contact [road@uci.ch](mailto:road@uci.ch) if you have any questions concerning this matter. No derogation will be granted for teams which do not respect the conditions and timeline.

#### Reminder participation rules (art. 2.2.001 and 2.1.005bis of the UCI Regulations)

As per article 2.2.001 of the UCI Regulations, “riders belonging to a team registered with the UCI with the same paying agent or main partner may not compete in the same race except in the case of an individual event”. Likewise, all the affiliated club teams with the same paying agent, team representative or main sponsor as a UCI Team must be declared to the relevant National Federation. We invite all the National Federations which have not yet informed the UCI

to do so as soon as possible by contacting [road@uci.ch](mailto:road@uci.ch). We kindly ask that National Federations inform the UCI immediately of any changes during the year.

Finally, in order to benefit from the participation rule mentioned in article 2.1.005bis of the UCI Regulations for the development teams of a UCI Women's WorldTeam, UCI WorldTeam or UCI ProTeam, teams must be managed by the same paying agent, with a common identity (see art. 2.13.218–219; 2.15.242–243 and 2.16.055–056).

The list of teams concerned by the provisions of articles 2.1.005bis and/or 2.2.001 of the UCI Regulations for the 2023 season is available on the [UCI website](#).

### **Prize money management platform**

During January and February, the UCI WorldTour, UCI Women's WorldTour, UCI ProSeries and Class 1 organisers for both men and women's events must update (or create if needed) their account on the centralised prize money management platform, so that prize money can be paid in accordance with the UCI Regulations (art. 1.2.071). No payment of prize money for these events is allowed outside of the platform. Any contravention to the UCI Regulations shall be sanctioned.

During February and March, the UCI WorldTeams, UCI Women's WorldTeams, UCI ProTeams, UCI Continental Teams, UCI Women's Continental Teams, National Teams, UCI Cyclo-cross Professional Teams and their riders must also update (or create if needed) their account on the [centralised prize money management platform](#), so that prize money can be paid in accordance with the UCI Regulations (art. 1.2.071).

Any prize money which will be due to teams not included in the above list (i.e.: club teams, UCI Cyclo-cross Teams, regional teams) will be transferred to the National Federation of the team concerned, which will then proceed with the payment of the prize money.

Should teams encounter any issue or have any queries, they can contact [road@uci.ch](mailto:road@uci.ch) or the platform administrators ([contact@cpm-uci.org](mailto:contact@cpm-uci.org)).

### **Sports Directors' course**

The 2023 Sports Directors' course will take place from 30 October till 3 November 2023 at the UCI World Cycling Centre in Aigle, Switzerland. All information concerning the course including how to obtain a scholarship for women wishing to register as Sports Directors is available on the [UCI website](#).

Furthermore, the list of UCI certified Sport Directors is now available on the [UCI website](#), in order to enable teams to contact Sport Directors who have obtained the UCI certification.

### **UCI Riders' Agents exam**

The next UCI Riders' Agents exam will be held in Aigle, Switzerland, on 16 June 2023. All related information is available on the [UCI website](#).

### **UCI Safety Manager certification**

A list of the certified UCI Safety Managers is soon to be published on the UCI website. It will give the commissaires and other stakeholders a way of identifying and contacting them according to their needs.

### **2024 UCI Women's WorldTour and UCI WorldTour calendars**

Registration guidelines concerning the 2024 UCI Women's WorldTour and UCI WorldTour calendars have recently been sent to relevant organisers and National Federations.

### **Commissaires' briefing**

On 16 January, the UCI Road Commissaires attended a webinar in view of the start of the season. They had the opportunity to learn about the latest instructions from the UCI, to acquaint themselves with the latest regulations changes and clarify some information in order to prepare for the 2023 season.

This webinar gathered more than 110 UCI commissaires during almost three hours.

The following week, the UCI TV Support Commissaires met at the UCI headquarters to follow training dedicated to the VAR system. This seminar was the opportunity to train new Commissaires and provide key reminders for the most experienced ones.

## **2023 UCI Cycling World Championships – Road**

### **General information**

Please see dedicated section for general information. Do not hesitate to contact [rwc@uci.ch](mailto:rwc@uci.ch) if you have any queries about the road discipline events.

### **Qualification system**

We kindly remind you that the qualification system for the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships – Road has been published on the [UCI website](#).

The nations interested in taking part in the team time trial – mixed relay must request an invitation by sending an email to [rwc@uci.ch](mailto:rwc@uci.ch) before 15 May 2023.

## **TRACK**

### **2023 Tissot UCI Track Nations Cup**

The official documents, including registration information and key dates, are available on the [UCI website](#).

As a reminder, as per article [3.4.009](#) of the UCI Regulations, National Federations and teams will be fined for each rider registered to the event and not present without advance notice.

### **2023 UCI Cycling World Championships – Track**

The second version of the General Information Bulletin is available on the [UCI website](#).

Official documents for the track discipline, such as the detailed competition schedule, are available on the [UCI website](#).

### **2023 UCI Juniors Track World Championships – Cali (Colombia)**

As per article [9.2.027bis](#) of the UCI Regulations, to be eligible for the UCI Track World Championships, a nation must have participated in the most recent UCI Junior Track World Championships. To satisfy this eligibility criterion for the 2024 UCI Track World Championships to be held in Ballerup (Denmark), a nation must participate in both the 2023 (Colombia) and 2024 (China) editions of the UCI Junior Track World Championships. We remind nations that the minimum participation to satisfy this criterion is one rider (men or women) per nation, in a minimum of one event, at each of these two editions of the UCI Junior Track World Championships.

### **2023 UCI Masters Track World Championships – Manchester (Great Britain)**

The UCI Masters Track World Championships will be held from 30 September to 7 October 2023 at the Manchester Velodrome, Great Britain. For information regarding registration, accommodation, transportation, ticketing and volunteer positions, please consult the competition website: [www.cyclingmasters.com](http://www.cyclingmasters.com).

Registration is already open and will close on 3 September.

## **MOUNTAIN BIKE**

### **2023 UCI Cycling World Championships – mountain bike**

Information regarding the mountain bike discipline at the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships is regularly published on the [UCI website](#).

### **2023 UCI Pump Track World Championships**

Following the approval of the UCI Management Committee in early February, the [2023 UCI Pump Track World Championships](#) will take place on 18 November in Neuquen, Argentina.

### **2023 UCI Mountain Bike World Cup**

Information related to the 2023 UCI Mountain Bike World Cup is regularly published on the [UCI website](#).

For the cross-country Olympic, cross-country short track, cross-country marathon, downhill, Enduro and E-Enduro specialities, online registration is handled by the National Federations and/or UCI Teams via the [UCI website](#).

## **2023 UCI Mountain Bike Eliminator World Cup and World Championships**

Information concerning the [2023 UCI Mountain Bike Eliminator World Cup](#) and [2023 UCI Mountain Bike Eliminator World Championships](#) will be updated regularly on the UCI website.

## **2023 UCI E-Mountain Bike Cross-country World Cup**

Information related to the 2023 UCI E-Mountain Bike Cross-country World Cup is regularly published on the [UCI website](#).

The newly published 2023 UCI E-Mountain Bike Cross-country World Cup calendar is available on the [UCI website](#)

## **2023 UCI Junior Series – XCO**

Information concerning the 2023 UCI Junior Series Cross-country Olympic (XCO) is published under the mountain bike official documents section on the [UCI website](#).

## **BMX RACING**

### **2023 UCI Cycling World Championships – BMX Racing**

#### Information

Information regarding BMX Racing at the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships is regularly published on the [UCI website](#).

#### Accommodation and camping

Sportive Breaks are working on accommodation options for participants in the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships including Championship, Challenge and Masters categories, with a range of options suitable for single travellers and family groups. Click [here](#) for more information and to sign up for the free accommodation waitlist. Information is also available on the [website](#) for accommodation in Glasgow and surrounds.

#### Track and venue bookings

Track bookings at the Glasgow BMX Centre in Knightswood will be available up until 9 July 2023 for Championship and Challenge riders as well as National Federations. Bookings can be made by contacting the Glasgow BMX Centre using this email address: [knightswoodbmx@glasgowlife.org.uk](mailto:knightswoodbmx@glasgowlife.org.uk)

The Glasgow BMX Centre will be closed from 9 July until the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships starting on 3 August to allow the organisers to install the event infrastructure necessary for the event.

There will be an option for booking track sessions for Championship riders (not Challenge or Masters) between 25 July and 3 August. Details on times and the booking process will be released to National Federations in the next edition of this UCI Newsletter.

### **2023 UCI BMX Racing World Cup – Santiago del Estero (Argentina)**

The organisers of the 2023 UCI BMX Racing World Cup in Argentina are offering assistance with transportation, accommodation and gym sessions for National teams, UCI BMX Racing Teams and independent riders attending the UCI BMX Racing World Cup in Santiago del Estero, Argentina. There is the possibility to arrange direct flights from the Buenos Aires International Airport (EZE) to Santiago del Estero (SDE) without the need to transfer to the domestic terminal. To evaluate the demand for this service, please complete the short survey located on [this page](#) which includes details on providing local transportation and other services.

Please complete the survey by 30 March 2023 and return to the organisers at this address: [sxargentina@gmail.com](mailto:sxargentina@gmail.com).

## **BMX FREESTYLE**

### **2023 UCI BMX Freestyle World Cup – Park – Diriyah (Saudi Arabia)**

The UCI BMX Freestyle World Cup – Park kicked off in Saudi Arabia at a newly created training ground in Diriyah. His Highness Prince Fahd bin Jalawi, Vice President of the Saudi Arabian National Olympic Committee handed out the top three trophies to winner Logan Martin (AUS), Marcus Christopher (USA) and Brian Fox (USA). 2022 UCI World Champion Hannah Roberts (USA) continues to dominate in Women Park. Jiaqi Sun (CHN) and Perris Benegas (USA) completed the

podium in Saudi Arabia.

The next round of the UCI BMX Freestyle World Cup will take place on 17–21 May 2023 in Montpellier, France.

## CYCLO-CROSS

### 2023–2024 UCI Cyclo-cross World Cup Calendar

The 2023–2024 UCI Cyclo-cross World Cup Calendar was published on 22 February 2023. For more information, please consult the related [press release](#).

For the 2023–2024 season, the UCI will once again cover the travel expenses of national teams for the Men Junior, Women Junior, Men Under 23 and Women Under 23 categories (please consult page 6 of the [UCI Financial Obligations](#)).

A total of 100,480 EUR will be paid to 27 National Federations to cover their travel expenses related to the 2022–2023 season.

### Registration of UCI Cyclo-cross teams for the 2023–2024 season

Key dates of the registration process for UCI Cyclo-cross teams:

- 4 April 2023: information sent to teams, National Federations and potential new teams;
- 31 July 2023: registration deadline for teams and approval by their National Federation;
- 16 August 2023: publication of the list of UCI Cyclo-cross teams.

New teams are invited to request their UCI DataRide platform username and password by writing to [offroad@uci.ch](mailto:offroad@uci.ch).

For more information on UCI Cyclo-cross Teams and UCI Professional Cyclo-cross Teams, please refer to the [UCI Cyclo-cross Regulations](#).

### 2023–2024 UCI International Cyclo-cross Calendar

The 2023–2024 UCI International Cyclo-cross Calendar was published on 22 February 2023 on the [UCI website](#)).

We advise organisers and National Federations to carefully check Class 1 and Class 2 events information such as the website address, contact email and categories featured at the event. If organisers are required to stage events in the Men Elite, Women Elite and Men Junior categories, the UCI strongly recommends adding a Women Junior race. Men Under 23 races are reserved for UCI recognised series at the request of the relevant National Federation. Should there be any modifications or questions related to this matter, please contact [offroad@uci.ch](mailto:offroad@uci.ch).

### Organising an international cyclo-cross race for Women Junior riders

The success of Women Junior events is reflected by the growing number of athletes in this category from other cycling disciplines taking part in cyclo-cross races, often with notable success. Though the addition of a Women Junior race to an event does not involve any changes to the UCI organisation fee, a minimum of 800 EUR must be made available in prize money.

UCI Men Junior and Women Junior races can be combined with other events such as national and regional races, unlike Men Elite and Women Elite races, which must be held separately.

### 2023 UCI cyclo-cross training camp

National Federations received information concerning the 2023 UCI cyclo-cross training camp during the Team Managers' meeting at the 2023 UCI Cyclo-cross World Championships in Hoogerheide (Netherlands). The camp will be organised from Tuesday 10 to Sunday 15 October 2023 in Aigle, Switzerland, at the UCI World Cycling Centre (WCC). The camp will conclude with participation in a cyclo-cross race organised around the UCI WCC in Aigle. An invitation letter will be sent shortly to the National Federations. For more information please contact: [offroad@uci.ch](mailto:offroad@uci.ch).

## TRIAL

## 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships – trials

Information regarding the trials discipline at the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships is regularly published on the [UCI website](#).

## 2023 UCI Trials World Cup

Having been approved by the UCI Management Committee, the 2023 UCI Trials World Cup events have now been published on the [UCI website](#).

- 7–9 April – Vic–Catalonia (Spain)
- 21–23 July – Plœuc–l'Hermitage (France)
- 25–27 August – TBC

The competition guide and programmes for these three rounds are published on the [UCI website](#).

### Registration deadlines:

DATES	VENUE	REGISTRATION OPENING AT 12:00 CET	REGISTRATION CLOSING AT 12:00 CET	ENTRIES LIST PUBLICATION	RANKING PUBLICATION
7-9 April 2023	Vic-Catalonia, Spain	23 March 2023	3 April 2023	4 April 2023	11 April 2023
21-23 July 2023	Plœuc-l'Hermitage, France	6 July 2023	17 July 2023	18 July 2023	25 July 2023
25-27 August 2023	TBC	10 August 2023	21 August 2023	22 August 2023	29 August 2023

## 2023 UCI Trials International Calendar

National Federations and organisers of international events are reminded that the UCI is still accepting applications for the 2023 UCI Trials International Calendar.

We also encourage National Federations to register their National Championships on the mandatory date of 24 and 25 June 2023.

The 2023 UCI International Trials calendar is published on the [UCI website](#)

For any information regarding how to register your event, please email [offroad@uci.ch](mailto:offroad@uci.ch).

## 2024 UCI Trials World Cup and 2024 UCI Trials World Youth Games

National Federations and organisers of international events are reminded that the UCI is presently seeking bids for the 2024 UCI Trials World Cup events and 2024 UCI Trials World Youth Games. Information for organisers can be consulted [here](#).

For any information on how to bid, please email to [offroad@uci.ch](mailto:offroad@uci.ch).

## PARA-CYCLING

### 2023 UCI Para-cycling Road World Cup registration

The registration for the rounds mentioned below will open and close at the following dates and times:

Venue	Registration system opens	Registration system closes
Ostend, Belgium	13 March 2023 at 12:00 CET	27 March 2023 at 12:00 CET
Huntsville, Alabama, USA	3 April 2023 at 12:00 CET	17 April 2023 at 12:00 CET

More information on the World Cups is available on the [UCI website](#).

## Questionnaire on number of participants at 2023 UCI Para-cycling Road World and 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships



In preparation for the upcoming season, the UCI would like to request that all nations submit estimated number of athletes that will participate in the UCI Para-cycling Road World Cup events in Ostend, Belgium and Huntsville, Alabama, USA. The UCI would also like to request that all National Federations submit preliminary participation numbers for the 2023 Cycling World Championships in Glasgow, Scotland, for both para-cycling road and track. Please submit all estimated number of entries by filling this [form](#).

Nations have the right to change the submitted numbers and they will only be used for planning purposes. Final entry by number will still be done through reg online with the dates found [here](#).

### **Access and documents in PCSAS**

All nations requiring classification are required to have a PCSAS (Para-cycling Sport Administration System) account and classification medical documentation loaded into each athletes' profile no later than four weeks prior to the start of classification. The PCSAS system can be accessed at <https://db.ipc-services.org/pcsas/app/login>.

Any Nation that has not yet registered for access to PCSAS is kindly required to fill out the account request form and send it to [classification@uci.ch](mailto:classification@uci.ch). PCSAS replaced the UCI Box procedure for document upload, athlete registration and classification management. Each nation must be registered prior to any UCI World Cup events or UCI World Championships beginning with the 2023 season.

## **INDOOR CYCLING**

### **2023 UCI Artistic Cycling World Cup**

The first round of the 2023 UCI Artistic Cycling World Cup is taking place on 29 April in Frankfurt-am-Main (Germany). The Information Bulletin can be found on the [UCI website](#). Registration closes on 2 April.

### **2023 UCI Cycle-ball World Cup**

The registration documents for the 2023 UCI Cycle-ball World Cup are available on the [UCI website](#).

The first round of the 2023 UCI Cycle-ball World Cup will be held in Sangerhausen (Germany) on 15 April. The Information Bulletin is available on the UCI website.

### **2023 UCI Indoor Cycling World Championships**

The schedule for the 2023 UCI Indoor Cycling World Championships was updated to include the competition for Women's cycle-ball and can be found in the latest version of the [General Information Bulletin](#).

Schedule of competitions:

Date	Times
11 August 2023	08:30 – 21:30
12 August 2023	08:30 – 21:00
13 August	08:30 – 15:00

The registration period for National Federation delegation members and other staff is from 27 June until 14 July. The UCI accepts the following number to be registered:

- 1 Team Leader
- 1 National Federation President
- 2 Men's cycle-ball coaches
- 2 Women's cycle-ball coaches
- 3 artistic cycling coaches (1 for individual Men and Women, 1 for Pair Open/Women, 1 for ACT4)

- 1 mechanic
- 2 physiotherapists (1 for cycle-ball, 1 for artistic cycling)1 doctor
- 1 doctor

Please note that the staff must have a UCI ID and a license for his/her function.

The registration deadline for athletes ends on 25 July. No registrations can be accepted after this date.

## MEDICAL

### **REMINDER: Mandatory Medical Monitoring for MTB, Track and BMX Racing**

The deadline for sending the declaration is the 31 March 2023.

The list of riders from MTB, BMX Racing and Track disciplines eligible for the UCI Mandatory Medical Monitoring for the season 2023 is published in the Medical section of the UCI website. You can find there the mentioned list, the detailed rules with the lists of medical exams and the official declarations for each discipline to be filled in and sent to the UCI.

We kindly remind you that as per §3 of Part XIII Medical Rules of the UCI Cycling Regulations, the National Federations are responsible for the organization and implementation of Mandatory Medical Monitoring of the following riders:

- **Mountain bike:** the first 100 men and the first 40 women in the UCI individual classification on the 31 December of the preceding year,
- **Track:** the first 100 men and the first 40 women in the UCI individual classification on the 31 December of the preceding year,
- **BMX Racing:** the first 50 men and the first 20 women of the UCI individual classifications on the 31 December of the preceding year.

For more information, please visit the Medical Section of the UCI website or contact our Medical team to [medical@uci.ch](mailto:medical@uci.ch).

## CYCLING FOR ALL



## UCI Bike Region Noord-Brabant and its cycling lifestyle

The 2023 UCI Cyclo-cross World Championships in the Netherlands at the beginning of February, took place in Hoogerheide, in the province of Noord-Brabant, which officially received the UCI Bike Region label during the championships. The award ceremony was just another celebration of cycling in a province where the bicycle is a way of life. Read the UCI's recent article to learn more about Noord-Brabant's programmes to address the next generation of cyclists and to further increase cycling infrastructure by extending cycling highways [here](#).

The UCI Bike City & Region label recognises cities and regions that not only host major UCI cycling events but also demonstrate outstanding commitment to Cycling for All. Visit the UCI website [here](#) for more information on the UCI Bike City label and on the application process.

## Historic resolution from the European Parliament to increase cycling levels by 2030

On 16 February 2023, the European Parliament passed a historic resolution on developing an EU Cycling Strategy with the goal to double the number of kilometres cycled by 2030. It sets out a 17-point action plan to develop more cycling infrastructure, lay fertile ground in Europe for bike, component and battery production, and grow two million jobs in a cycling ecosystem covering manufacturing, tourism, retail, health and sports that already employs one million people in Europe today.

Read the UCI's recent article for more details on the resolution [here](#).

## UCI at Velo-city 2023 in Leipzig

The UCI is delighted to confirm that it will be present at Velo-city 2023 from 9 to 12 May in Leipzig (Germany). This year's event will be dedicated to the topic "Leading the transition". The UCI will take part as a panelist on the session entitled "Large events: Grasping the opportunity for cycling promotion" on Friday 12 May from 10:15 to 11:15 a.m.

As the annual flagship event of the European Cyclists' Federation, Velo-city plays a valuable part in promoting cycling as a sustainable and healthy means of transport for all. National Federations interested in attending the event – and meeting with the UCI on site – can find more information about the programme and registration [here](#).

## ANTI-DOPING

### ITA Webinar Series

MONTHLY WEBINAR 28 Feb 14-15 CET ITA

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The Union Cycliste Internationale (UCI) is pleased to inform you that the last educational



webinar – [Consequences of Doping Part 1: Impact on emotions](#) – recently organised by the International Testing Agency (ITA) during the month of February is available on ITA dedicated YouTube Channel.

A driver of intentional doping is for an athlete to improve their performance to achieve greater success in sport, but this only considers success in relation to a result, not the emotions that go along with it.

The first part of this webinar covered what success means and feels like for a clean athlete. In contrast, it also shared stories and emotions of athletes who have experienced success while doping.

The UCI strongly encourages you and your members to watch this webinar to reflect on the consequences of doping and how this can impact how an athlete experiences ‘success’.

The second part of this webinar will take place in March (date not yet confirmed). In view of this, the UCI strongly encourages you and your members to [subscribe](#) to the ITA webinar series.

## SPOTLIGHT ON THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN LIDL AND THE 2023 UCI CYCLING WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

One of Europe’s leading food retail companies, Lidl, has been named Main Partner of the 2023 UCI Cycling World Championships. The major sponsorship agreement sees Lidl become Official Fresh Food partner of the event that will take place in Glasgow and across Scotland from 3 to 13 August. Read more about the partnership [here](#).

### UCI WCC CORNER



### WCC’s Corner – Seminar dedicated to para-cycling at the UCI WCC

In a week dedicated to para-cycling, the UCI World Cycling Centre hosted a track training camp for tandems and Class C para-cyclists from nine countries. At the same time, 14 men and women attended a training course in classification, while eight coaches on the UCI WCC Level 2 coaching course also received an introduction to classification. Read about the camp and training courses on the [UCI website](#).



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